

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q61458

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Group Art Unit: 2875

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Appln. No.: 09/695,306

Examiner: Jacob Y. CHOI

Confirmation No.: 1186

Filed: October 25, 2000

For:

PLANE LIGHT SOURCE UNIT AND REFLECTION TYPE LIQUID-CRYSTAL

DISPLAY DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of onemonth, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of November 20, 2002 to March 20, 2003.

Please charge the statutory fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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